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# LADDIES REJOICE.

## Firemen of Two Towns Make Merry Together.

## THIRTY FROM NAVARRE

**They Drive to Massillon, Make and Listen to Addresses, Dine and are Shown the Wonders of Central—Speeches by Chief Burkle, Mayor Wise, Chief Hug and Emil Converse.**

The members of the Navarre fire department, reaching the city at 7:30 o'clock Thursday evening, in several large conveyances, were met at the Central engine house by the Massillon paid firemen and the members of department No. 1, whose guests they immediately became. The visitors were escorted to the Military band room, on the second floor of the former engine house, where Chief Burkle, in a few brief remarks, introduced Mayor Wise, who made an address of welcome. The mayor reverted to the days when he was a clerk in a Navarre establishment, saying that it pleased him to again be able to mingle with the people he had once known so well. He extended to the visitors the freedom of the city, and expressed a wish for many recurrences of the happy occasion.

Chief Julius Hug, of the Navarre department, introduced Emil Converse, who spoke of the bonds of sympathy that exist between the knights of the hook and ladder, and said that no way was better calculated to strengthen these bonds than by a frequent commingling and by the formation of personal acquaintances between the members s With the building of the street railway to Navarre, Mr. Converse said, the relations of the firemen and of the two towns would grow even closer, and he hoped that the tendency would continue to be in that direction until there was a veritable brotherhood.

Afterwards the Central engine house was inspected from roof to basement, the new apparatus was expatiated upon and an exhibition of the work of the trained horses was given, at all of which the visitors marveled and admired. Return to the room whence they came was then made, and after refreshments and a few impromptu words from various persons, the party moved to the Millerorian, where an oyster supper was served. A mandolin club played while the supper was in progress, and at its close went to the band room, where the merrymakers soon reassembled, and where several hours were pleasantly spent.

Robert Gachter sang a solo or two, and a quartette consisting of Chief Hug, Robert Gachter, Frank Eshman and H. Falk won deafening applause with their "Hi-Le-Hi-Lo." Roscoe Keller jigged a dozen different steps, and there were mandolin and guitar solos and club selections by the musicians. The Navarre people left the city at 12 o'clock. A list of the visitors follows:

Chief Julius Hug, Kern Ackerman, Nicholas Frank, Thomas Adley, Phil. Loew, Wm. Loew, Henry Boyle, C. Hattery, E. Hattery, E. Converse, Emil Converse, A. Simler, John Adams, C. Wolf, Ira Wolf, Charles Vananda, John Miller, C. Hodgson, Ira Biddle, R. Gachter, H. Gachter, Charles Broehm, F. Eshman, John Leininger, George Frederick, J. A. Define, H. Whisler, H. Falk, P. Broehm, Ed Shetler and George Bailis.

THE FIREMEN'S THANKS.

The expenses of the entertainment of the visitors Wednesday evening were defrayed by contributions made by citizens, to whom the members of the Massillon department desire to extend their thanks.

### CANTON'S NEW HOTEL.

**Plans Call for Six-story Building One Hundred Feet Square.**

A special from Canton to the Cleveland Leader says: "President McKinley is showing his interest in Canton by a donation of $5,000 towards purchasing a $30,000 site for a new hotel. This fact was made public today. Plans have been made to construct a six-story fireproof hotel building, one hundred feet square, on the site of the Saxton block, which was recently destroyed by fire. The hotel is to be strictly up to date in all its appointments. Among the other donors to the enterprise are Mrs. Barber, sister of Mrs. McKinley, and Mrs. George D. Harter, who give $5,000 each. The new hotel is to be diagonally across the street from the old Saxton home, the place where the girlhood days of Mrs. McKinley were spent. The hotel will also be adjacent to the Grand opera house, a large portion of the stock of which is owned by the President. The McKinley block, which is owned by the President, is a half block distant from where the new hotel is to be.

"M. C. Barber, brother-in-law of the President, wrote to Washington today asking, in behalf of citizens, for permission to call the new hostelry the McKinley. The hotel building is to cost not less than $100,000. Practical hotel men have guaranteed to have the building put up in six months."


Ladies' patent leather and patent kid shoes, $2.50, $3 and $3.50, at
D. T. FRANK & Co.'s.


### NO MASSILLON COAL.

**Cleveland Housekeepers Use Gas and Gasoline.**

The Cleveland Press says: "All stocks of Massillon coal in Cleveland are out, and none of the dealers are able to fill orders. None of the mines are working because of the trouble with the hoisting engineers, and no coal has come to Cleveland for several days. The shortage will not cause serious inconveniences if the weather gets warmer. Massillon coal is universally used for cooking purposes, and housekeepers are dragging out their old gas and gasoline stoves."

# WAS AN ACCIDENT.

## Decision of Prosecutor in Shooting Case.

## SAIGOT IS DISCHARGED.

**A Man Who Imagines that He Is About to Become a Murderer Suffers in a Cell—"Silverwater" Comes Into Court After an Evening of Song—Other Police Court News.**

Prosecuting Attorney Day, Wednesday evening, ordered the release of John Saigot, who has been detained at the city prison pending an investigation of the shooting of his brother, Michael Saigot, Monday. Mr. Day, from the testimony taken by the coroner, and the stories told him by the prisoner and others, was convinced that the killing was accidental. Funeral services for the dead man, whose body has been at the Heitger morgue since Monday, were held Thursday afternoon. Burial was made in St. Mary's cemetery.

HORRIBLE HALLUCINATION.

A man suffering from delirium tremens, who has been in jail for a day or two past, has grown quieter. He imagined that he had been attacked by two Italians, whom he pressed so hard that they were forced to climb a tree. In his hallucination, he believed himself standing below them, and all the while he whetted and brandished an imaginary knife, and muttering of the horrible fate that awaited his enemies when they should descend.

"SILVERWATER'S" ANOTHER KIND.

Another of the plain drunks called himself "Silverwater." He was a singing "jag." For hours he sang and whistled. "Silverwater" was ashamed when he became sober, and he begged the mayor to fine him. He was accommodated. He had no money, but he said he would pay some time.

TWO OTHERS.

Two other cases of intoxication came up. One of the men apparently had reached the stage of the blind staggers. The other was quite ordinary. They paid their fines.

### LIBRARY NOTES.

**A List of German Books—Circulation for the Week.**

The following list of books in the German language are now ready for circulation at the public library:

Werner, E.—Blum des Glucks: Alpenfee.
Spielhagen—Hans and Gretel.
Heimburg, W.—The Einziger Bruder.
Wolff, Julius—Sulfmeister, 2 v.
Baumbach, R.—Trug-Gold; Erzahlungen and Marchen.
Ganghofer, Ludwig—Edelweifskonig.
Stude, Julius—Familie Buchholz, 2 v.
Stowe, H. B.—Onkel Tom' Hutte.
Marlitt, E.—Die Zwite Frau.
Hillern, W. v.—Aus Eigner Kraft.
Heimburg, W.—Trudchen's Heirat; Im Banne der Musen.
Werner, E.—Gerbaunt and Erlost.
Heimburg, W.—Lumpemullers Lieschen.
Werner, E.—Saukt Michael.
Eschtruth, N. v.—Pohnich Blut, 2 v.
Marlitt, E.—Im Schellingshof.
Heimburg, W.—Eim armes Madchen; Das Fraulein Pathe.
Marlitt, E.—Frau mit der Karfunkelsteimen; Heideprinzeszchen.
Marlitt, E.—Goldelse; Geheimnis der Alten Mamsell.
Werner, E.—Vineta; Glick Auf; Um Hohen Preis: Ein Held der Feder; Heimatklang.
Eschtruth, N. V.—Erlkonigin.
Heimburg, W.—Herzenkrisen; Love von Tollen.
Ganghoper, L.—Klosteyager.
Storm, F.—Immensee.
Werner, E.—Gesprengte Fesseln; Verdachtig.
Heimburg, W.—Kloster Wendhusen: Ursula.
Werner, E.—Am Altar; Hermann; Fruhlingsboten.

The total circulation for the past week was 980 books. Of this number 390 were from the children's room.


"I had piles so bad I could get no rest nor find a cure until I tried DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. After using it once I forgot I ever had anything like piles." E. C. Boice, Somers Point, N. Y. Look out for imitations. Be sure you ask for DeWitt's. Chas. W. Cupples, 139 W. Tremont St.; Rider & Snyder, 12 E. Main St.

B. Presson, Pressonville, Kan., writes: "Nothing like Foley's Honey and Tar" is the universal verdict of all who have used it. Especially has this been true of coughs accompanying la grippe. Not a single bottle failed to give relief. Rider & Snyder.


# COUNTY SEAT NEWS

## Auditor Reed Refuses to Pay a Bill.

## ARCHITECT WANTS $997.25

**Commissioners Give Order for Payment of Nearly Fifteen Hundred Dollars for Which the Taxpayers Receive no Return—Saloonkeeper Receives a Heavy Sentence.**

CANTON, April 12.—Auditor Reed has refused to pay a claim of Architect Tilden amounting to $997.25, allowed by the county commissioners, for drawing the plans and specifications for the cottage at the county infirmary. In the itemized list Architect Tilden figures his services at 3½ per cent. of the estimated cost of the building, which he says is $42,264.50, making his commission $1,479.25, to which is added $18 as expenses for a trip to Columbus. Mr. Tilden was paid $500 in September, by order of the commissioners, and payment of the bill just presented was refused on the grounds that the court had by injunction enjoined the building of the cottage and therefore the commissioners had no right to allow the bill. Auditor Reed consulted Judge McCarty regarding the matter, but the court said that the prosecuting attorney is the legal adviser of the commissioners and he should be consulted. Auditor Reed said Thursday morning that Prosecuting Attorney Day is of the opinion that the bill will have to be paid. If the bill is paid, there seems no reason why the county commissioners cannot give an architect steady employment, with three and one-half per cent. of the estimated cost of buildings he may design as remuneration.

Owing to the absence of the Rev. Mr. Hare, superintendent of the Stark county Anti-Saloon league, the cases of Abe Bailey, Charles Arff, Charles Bast, August Wernet and George Wagner, charged with violation of the liquor laws, were continued until the next term of court by Judge Ambler. Michael Cavanaugh, saloonkeeper, was sentenced to pay a fine of $100 and costs and to serve 20 days in the workhouse. Cavanaugh was tried to a jury last Friday and was found guilty as charged in the indictment. The court in passing sentence said that he found from the court records that this was Cavanaugh's third offense, and for that reason he did not feel like giving him a light sentence.

O. A. Zerbe, who was arrested for violation of the Sunday law, entered a plea of guilty and was sentenced to pay a fine of $25 and the costs of prosecution and to spend ten days in the workhouse.

Inventory and appraisement has been filed in the estate of John Bell, of Lawrence township.

In the estate of Reuben Hall, of Jackson township, a petition for the sale of real estate has been filed.

Marriage licenses have been granted to William Sieberg, of Navarre, and Caroline Dominick, of Massillon; John Frederick Malzahn and Matilda Ida Droge, of Crystal Spring; Harry Clauss and Madge Ray, of Massillon; Benjamin D. Baughman, of Elton, and Clara E. Stutz, of Navarre; Jacob Harig and Mary Boekel, of East Greenville.

### AT THE POINT OF DEATH.

**Mrs. Wm. R. Day Stricken With Apoplexy.**

CANTON, April 13.—Mrs. Wm. R. Day suffered a stroke of apoplexy, at her home in this city, Friday afternoon. She had been suffering from an attack of sick headache, to which she is subject. When it took a more violent turn than usual, Dr. Phillips, the family physician, was summoned, but before he could administer to her she became unconscious. Drs. Marchand and Brant were also summoned, but have not yet diagnosed the case to their full satisfaction. Physicians have been in constant attendance, but at noon today she was still in a precarious condition. Judge Day left the city at noon yesterday for Washington, and did not hear of Mrs. Day's illness until late last night. He is expected to arrive home this afternoon.


"Last winter I was confined to my bed with a very bad cold on the lungs. Nothing gave me relief. Finally my wife bought a bottle of One Minute Cough Cure that effected a speedy cure. I cannot speak too highly of that excellent remedy."—Mr. T. K. Houseman, Manatawney, Pa. Chas. W. Cupples, 139 W. Tremont St.; Rider & Snyder, 12 E. Main St.

**"Stick to It."**

Geo. L. Heard, of High Tower, Ga., writes: "Eczema broke out on my baby, covering his entire body. Under treatment of our family physician he got worse, as he could not sleep for the burning and itching. We used a box of "Banner Salve" on him and by the time it was gone he was well. The doctor seeing it was curing him said, "Stick to it, for it is doing him more good than anything I have done for him." Rider & Snyder.

Skin troubles, cuts, burns, scalds and chafing, quickly healed by the use of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is imitated. Be sure you get DeWitt's.—Charles W. Cupples, 139 West Tremont street; Rider & Snyder, 12 East Main street.

**A wheelman's tool bag isn't complete without a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. Heals cuts, bruises, stings, sprains. Monarch over pain.**


### NO COAL FOR BOILERS.

**Some Operators May be Compelled to Buy From Other Fields.**

Some of the operators of this district, being unable to produce a ton of coal, have reached the point where it will be necessary for them to buy from producers in other fields, if they wish to keep fire under the boilers. There are signs of a break in the strike.

# THE NEW BUILDING.

## West Side May Get It After All.

## GROWTH IN THAT SECTION.

**The Board of Education Discusses Various Important Matters at Friday's Session—Plan for Charging Admission to Graduating Exercises May be Adopted.**

The board of education met in regular session Friday evening with Mrs. Shoemaker, Miss Folger, Messrs. Johns and Kirchhofer present. In the absence of the secretary, Mr. Humberger, who is confined to his home on account of illness, Prof. E. A. Jones acted in that capacity.

It was expected that the contract for the new building would be let, but the committee on building, to which was referred the bids canvassed at a special meeting of the board, were unable to make a report and asked for further time. Mr. Fox and Mr. Humberger are both members of the committee. The committee, to which the matter of the establishment of a kindergarten was referred was not ready to report and was granted more time.

The committee on teachers reported that Michael Oberlin, the special teacher of writing and drawing, had been granted a leave of absence of one month without pay. It was necessary to take this action before the beginning of the term which started last Monday. The regular teachers will attend to the work of the department presided over by Mr. Oberlin during his absence.

Superintendent Jones reported that a representative of a house making a specialty of invitations for commencements had been in the city, and that the members of the class had made a selection. If the approval of the board was given the invitations could be ordered. The matter will probably be settled at a special meeting of the board to be held next week.

Bills to the amount of $530.91 were paid. The board adjourned to meet Monday evening next, when the vote at the late election will be canvassed and the newly elected members installed. The matter of the new building will be given attention also.

There is a possibility that a charge of admission will be made for commencement this year. Heretofore this has not been necessary, but the city has grown larger and it is now the habit of many people to attend the exercises who have no special interest in the programme or the class. In case an admission were charged, only those would go who had an interest in the exercises. Of course, members of graduating class would be allowed invitations and tickets for their friends and members of their families. The matter has only been discussed informally as yet.

The new schoolhouse may go to the West Side after all. At the time when the building was first talked of, nearly two years ago, everything pointed to the growth of the city to the south and east. It was expected that the steel plant and other industries would bring many pupils to that section, and it was figured that the building would be needed there. Industries have been started on the West Side, however, that were not thought of then. The increase of the city has been on the north and west sides and the present indications are that the growth will continue in that direction for some time to come. The establishment of the new glass factories on the west and north sides are in a large measure responsible for the increase in the number of pupils. The workmen in the factories are in many cases men with families, and, as a matter of course, they desire to live in the neighborhood of their work.

The list of new pupils entering the school at this time, the beginning of the spring term, shows that the greater number come from the section of the city referred to. In the schools in Richville avenue, East street, North street, and State street there are twenty-two new pupils, and in the West Tremont street and West Main street buildings, twenty-seven. Mr. Johns, member of the board from the West Side, has contended for a new building there for some time and has claimed that it is needed there more than in any other quarter of the city. He is very anxious that the pupils be taken out of the third story of the West Tremont street building. There are now four rooms on this floor. Members of the building committee will look at several lots on the West Side. The locations favored are on Walnut street, at the corner of Duncan street, or one block west of that point at the corner of Perry street.


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# WASHINGTON NEWS

## New Gun Tested at Indian Head.

## COMMISSION WELCOMED.

**The Island of Panay is Wholly Pacified—Ambassador Choate Will Investigate the Cause of England's Refusal to Buy American Beef for the Army.**

WASHINGTON, April 13.—[By Associated Press]—Secretary Hay has cabled to Ambassador Choate an inquiry into the reason for the order of the British war office, which excludes the American refrigerated beef heretofore used. This action is taken at the instance of the department of agriculture. Secretary Wilson said that everything that the administration can do in the matter is being done. "But I cannot understand," he said, "why the British government has taken this step. They know that our grain-fed beef is the kind that is shipped to them. There must be some reason that is not apparent on the surface. We sell them a million dollars' worth of meats for every million of their population. Suppose they have a quarter million troops in the field. It can make little difference to our producers whether they take enough from the home-grown supply to feed the soldiers, for if they do that they must import just that much more to supply the deficiency. The British do not produce enough in Great Britain to supply the home demand. There must be some other reason."

The best gun ever made for the United States was tested at the Indian Head proving ground today. The wonderful piece of ordnance is a five-inch, rapid-fire gun, intended to be used in the broadside of some of the cruisers that have heretofore carried nothing heavier than four-inch rifles. The enormous muzzle velocity of 3,330 feet per second was obtained. The new smokeless powder was used. This powder gives about 25 per cent. better results than any the navy has ever had. As American naval guns are the equal, if not the superior, of any ordnance in the world, the new rifle, which is nearly twenty-five feet long, is an article that will interest foreign governments and the manufacturers of armor. It will make a six-inch plate of armor seem like no protection at all.

At the cabinet meeting yesterday Attorney General Knox was instructed to investigate the case brought in the United States court at New Orleans to prevent the shipment of horses and mules to the British army in South Africa. It is considered that when neutrality proceedings are inaugurated in United States courts they should be brought in the name of the United States, an alleged violation of neutrality being a question affecting nations, not individuals. The mover of the proceedings in the New Orleans case is a man claiming to be a resident of South Africa, who contends that his interests are placed in jeopardy. If Attorney General Knox finds that the neutrality laws are such as to permit individuals to bring proceedings in courts, Congress may be asked to pass such amendments as will leave these questions wholly in the hands of the government.

### PANAY PACIFIED.

**The United States Commission Warmly Welcomed.**

SAN JOSE DE BUENA, ISLAND OF PANAY, April 13.—[By Associated Press]—When the United States Philippine commission reached here today, the members were welcomed in an impressive manner. A statue of liberty, erected in the principal square, had pictures of Lincoln, McKinley and Taft on the pedestal. The province is pacified. Lieutenant Colonel Scott, of the Forty-fourth volunteers, was made governor of the province, and Lieutenant Wilson, of the same regiment, is treasurer. The commission had mailed to Washington a detailed plan for the general civil government of the Philippines. The legislative council is to consist of four of the present commissioners and three Filippinos, to be appointed by President McKinley.

### INVESTIGATING SCANDAL.

**Non-Commissioned Officers Sold Commissary Supplies.**

MANILA, April 13.—[By Associated Press]—The trial of Sergeant Meirson, implicated in the commissary scandal, began today. Two witnesses testified that large quantities of flour were taken from the government warehouse and sold by three commissary sergeants and two others and proceeds divided.

Archbishop Chappelle, Papal delegate, has been recalled to Rome. His return here is improbable.


Only a few more of the 4-burner gas ranges left at $8. ALLMAN.


### THE RIPLEY TRIAL.

**Testimony of Damaging Character Against Taylor.**

FRANKFORT, Ky., April 13.—[By Associated Press]—After hearing two or three witnesses on the subject of Ripley's connection with the bringing of troops to Frankfort, including the story of Wharton Golden as told in previous trials, the prosecution rested. A motion to instruct the jury to acquit on the evidence presented was overruled, and Mr. O'Neal made the opening statement for the defense, claiming Ripley did not even know Powers, Finley and other suspects and had but slight acquaintance with Taylor. O'Neal said a mountain had been made out of a mole hill from Bradley and Yost's testimony. He said Ripley found Taylor intensely excited, wringing his hands and declaring that Goebel had been killed. He (Taylor) would be killed and a riot would ensue. Ripley said he thought there was no danger and asked if he should get his company organized. Taylor responded: "My God! haven't you got your company ready yet?"

### APOSTLE CANNON DEAD.

**One of the Most Prominent of the Mormon Leaders.**

MONTEREY, Cal., April 13—[By Associated Press]—Apostle George Q. Cannon, of the church of Latter Day Saints, died here yesterday. He was born in Liverpool, England, January 11, 1827, came to America in 1844, and was ordained an elder of the Mormon church in 1845. In 1846 he joined the main body of the Mormons from Nauvoo, Ill., on the way to California on missionary work, and in 1850 went to the Hawaiian islands and remained there for four years. In 1855 he established the "Western Standard" in San Francisco. In 1880 he was made a member of the Quorum of Twelve Apostles. He was a delegate in congress from 1872 to 1880, and was one of the counselors to the president of the Mormon church.

### OHIO'S COAL OUTPUT.

**Mine Inspector's Report Shows Large Increase.**

COLUMBUS, April 13.—The annual report of the state mine inspector, which will be made public in a short time, shows a gain of more than three and one-half million tons over that of the preceding year. The gain of the year before, about 2,000,000, was the largest previous increase. In fact, all but five of the thirty coal counties increased their output. These five are Carroll, Columbiana, Lawrence, Medina and Portage. The largest gain was in Athens county, 838,048 tons. Perry was second with 748,736. Athens county, 2,594,859 tons, goes ahead of Perry, 2,517,258 tons, in coal production. Jackson is third and Hocking fourth in rank. The amount of lump coal produced was 14,234,260 tons; nut coal 2,218,001, and pea and slack 2,974,388. The total product was 19,426,649 tons.

### PRISONERS RELEASED.

**Several Hundrad Affected by President's Order.**

SAN FRANCISCO, April 13.—[By Associated Press]—An order has been issued by President McKinley directing that prisoners at Alcatraz belonging to volunteer regiments, sentenced for minor offenses, be released to enable them to go home with their regiments. About two hundred such prisoners are affected.

### GOLD BARS FOUND.

BREMEN, April 13.—[By Associated Press]—The missing gold bars, supposed to be stolen from the Kaiser Wilhelm Der Grosse, have been found by the steward, when cleaning the vessel.


**Western Rates Reduced.**

Greatly reduced one-way rates will be in effect from Chicago via the Wisconsin Central Railway to points in Minnesota, North Dakota, Montana, Idaho, Oregon, Washington and British Columbia each Tuesday, commencing February 12th and continuing until April 30th.

For detailed information inquire of nearest ticket agent, or address T. D. Campbell, D. P. A., 42 Carew Building, Cincinnati, O.; C. E. Johnson, D. P. A., 621 Park Building, Pittsburg, Pa., or Jas. C. Pond, Gen'l Passenger Agent, Milwaukee, Wis.

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**Given Up to Die With Croup.**

Mrs. P. L. Cordier, of Mannington, Ky., writes: "My three-year-old girl had a severe case of croup, the doctor said she could not live and I gave her up to die. I went to the store and got a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar, the first dose gave quick relief and saved her life." Rider & Snyder.



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UNION LABEL

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The pressure of the American industrial competition which Great Britain feels is indicated by the reduction of the wages of 225,000 workmen recently. The average reduction was only about fifty cents a week, but to men who have been earning not more than $5 to $7 a week it is a serious item. This is, however, the British method of meeting the competition of the best paid labor in the world, whose pay is twice the figures quoted.

One of the curiosities of last year's election in respect to the vote cast by the Prohibitionists was furnished by South Carolina, which is literally in the liquor business under the dispensary system, and in which there was not a solitary vote cast for the Prohibition ticket in November. On the other hand, in Maine, the pioneer state of prohibition legislation, and one in which the prohibition statute, adopted many years ago, has since been re-inforced by a constitutional amendment, there were 2,500 Prohibition votes.

Denmark's haggling with the United States over the price of the West India islands recalls the fact that according to records in the state and navy departments the Danish government has owed the United States a considerable sum for over a century. During the revolutionary war prizes captured by Commodore Jones and other American heroes and sent to neutral Danish ports were illegally seized by Denmark and returned to Great Britain. These prizes were valued at about $200,000, and there were protracted negotiations about the claim, the justice of which Denmark finally acknowledged by offering Ambassador Franklin $50,000 as a compromise.

The threatened war between Russia and Japan over Manchuria seems to have been averted through the action of the Japanese government in accepting Russia's assurances that she would not insist on the Chinese plenipotentiaries agreeing to the Manchurian convention, and would give pledges that the Russian troops would be withdrawn from that part of China as soon as order had been established there. Japan's course is particularly gratifying to this government, because it means not only that war has been averted, but because it is an endorsement of the position assumed by the United States that Russia's assurances should be accepted in good faith. There are strong probabilities that the action of two strong nations like Japan and the United States will have the effect of inducing those governments that have not determined the character of their responses to Russia to adopt the conservative view that has been taken in Tokio and Washington.

### A BUILDER OF EMPIRE.

An article which Louis Stern, of New York, contributed to a recent issue of the Mail and Express on the subject of President McKinley's true relation to the cause of human liberty and human prosperity is worthy of more than casual comment. Coming from the pen of a business man of great prominence the article acquires peculiar interest and significance. Mr. Stern's estimate of the President is probably that of nine-tenths of the leading business men of the United States, regardless of partisan predilections. In commenting upon Mr. McKinley's inaugural address, a leading English journal spoke of him as "a true empire maker." Mr. Stern says that the characterization admirably fits the President, but in a far different sense from that intended by the British editor. The "empire-making" policy to which President McKinley has been all his life devoted is the upbuilding and the expansion of the commercial empire of the country. Under the principles he advocated before the people, crystallized into law in successive congresses, and given executive force to in the Presidency the United States is now the greatest force in the world. The article continues as follows:

"If the free trade theories, of which during more than a quarter of a century he has been the foremost opponent in his own party, had prevailed, America would be now the commercial vassal instead of almost the commercial dictator of the world. When President McKinley's first administration began many factories in the great manufacturing centers were either closed altogether or running on curtailed time or with largely reduced force. A vast army of workingmen was out of employment; capital was held back from investment; savings bank deposits were drawn upon to provide the necessaries of life; hundreds of thousands of men, women and children were the beneficiaries of charity, both public and private. The imperial fabric of American industry was almost in ruins. The tornado of Cleveland tariff reform had crushed it to earth. McKinleyism, as it is called, rebuilt it upon foundations that cannot be overturned, except under the impossible conditions of national insanity."

### ARCHITECTURE FOR THE FARM.

The Pittsburg Times, moved by the fact that some farmers in Pennsylvania are facing a labor famine because employment in the multiplying industries of cities is so easy of attainment, suggests that one reason why the boys leave the farm is the prevalence of so much that is dreary in the country, and calls attention to a recently issued bulletin of the United States department of agriculture devoted to farm architecture which contains a number of illustrations and plenty of simple, but valuable instructions, which, if followed, might make the farm house as attractive as the suburban cottage or the more pretentious dwelling. The Times says:

"In building a home the farmer has everything in his favor. He has a choice of sites, selecting from more acres than a town man has of front feet. He is independent of contractors, being able to help himself with his own employes and his own team, until the cost of work is reduced to a minimum. He finds building stone and sand frequently on the ground. His lumber comes from his wood lot. What he lacks is the help of a practical builder to plan and supervise. Country homes could be the most attractive, instead of having so much about them that is crude and cheerless. Anybody can get the bulletins of the agricultural department by writing for them, and many besides the one on farm buildings should be in the hands of the farmer.

### A REPLY OF ROBERT LEGG.

To the Editor of THE INDEPENDENT:

If the statement of Mr. Streeter in regard to the affair at the Woodland mine, a few days ago, is sincerely made, I am convinced that he is quite ignorant of the facts in the case. He says that but one pump was disabled, yet I positively know that not an ounce of water was being sent from the mine. As I remarked at the time, "the mine was as quiet as a grave." It was stated to me at that time by George Selway, who was then in charge of the engine at the mine, that the workings would be completely flooded within six hours if repairs were not made at once. Others who were there will bear me out in this statement. If there was no danger, why should there have been such earnest solicitation for assistance from the miners?

Mr. Selway, at that time, also said to me that he was authorized to state that his company was willing to grant the concessions demanded by the engineers. He made this statement in the presence of at least six men, to whom I am willing to refer the matter if it comes to a question of veracity between myself and the gentlemen whom Mr. Streeter says deny that any such statement was made. As for my using this incident or any other incident to bolster up any weakness, I can simply turn it aside as a senseless remark, as must every other fair-minded man. Our forces are as strong, if not stronger, than ever before. Besides, if it was our intention to take advantage of such situations as these why did the members of the organization descend into that mine to save the company's property? I ask Mr. Streeter, does it seem reasonable that we should have done this if that was our intention? If we are following a policy of this kind, would we not have refused to do a single thing to stay the work of destruction until we should have in black and white the statement of the company that it would accede to our demands?

ROBERT LEGG,
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# HE WALKS AGAIN.

## Spirit of Michael Saigot Returns to Earth.

## THE COSHINSKIS MOVE.

**They Declare that They Will not Share a House with Ghosts and Hobgoblins—The Apparition Usually Wears Blue Overalls, Has the face of Saigot and Always Points to a Bleeding Wound in Its Head.**

The Coshinskis are moving today. Their boarders are moving with them. They all declare that they will not share a house with ghosts and hobgoblins. And that of these uncanny things there is a plenty no one who has heard the story of William Coshinski can doubt. The house in which the Coshinskis will hereafter reside is also in Lombardi, a short distance from the place just deserted. The latter, at 572 North Mill street, could be bought for a song. It has been the home of the Coshinskis for many years, and represents the lifetime savings of Coshinski, who is a quarry laborer.

Coshinski, who can speak German, says that the spirit of Michael Saigot, who met his death accidentally at the hands of his brother, John Saigot, returns both by day and at night, and that not a moment's peace is given any member of the household. The boarders are so unstrung over the condition of things that they are unable to work. They do not attempt to sleep. They say it would be impossible if they did, as the ghost is of the active kind and its comings and goings are not noiseless.

The ghost, according to the story of Coshinski, has the form of Michael Saigot, as he was last seen in the flesh. It wears a complete suit of overalls. In the head is a gaping wound, from which blood seems to be slowly oozing. The ghost opens its own doors and closes them behind it. If spoken to, it disappears. The ghost appears several times every night. It comes between 8:30 and 12 o'clock. Invariably at noon of each day it also appears.

Mrs. Coshinski Friday at noon heard the door of the room in which Saigot was killed open. She started to close it, but as she reached the place she saw a form in the room. She hesitated a moment and then drew nearer that she might secure a better view of the object. To her horror she says she beheld the prostrate form of Saigot, which, as she looked, seemed to slowly rise and advance toward her. She attempted to close the door, but it was snatched roughly from her hand, slammed to and then flung open again. Mrs. Coshinski now beheld, standing in the middle of the room, the figure of the killed man, who pointed to a wound in his head, and then disappeared.

On Thursday evening, Peter Pellock, one of the boarders, heard a strange sound. He opened his eyes, and beheld before him the form of Saigot, who pointed to his bleeding wound, and then slowly moved from the room. Pellock lay dumb with fright. With the disappearance of the apparition, however, his strength returned, and he shouted. At the same time a shout arose from every sleeping room in the house. A moment later all had gathered in the dining room, and all had the same thing to tell. At the same time, it appeared, the apparition had come before them all. Sick from fright they huddled together the remainder of the night. Time and again the ghost returned. They spoke to it, and it disappeared. And all the while the table upon which the revolver had been laid after the killing rattled and jumped about in a way that would have shamed the most expert spiritualistic medium.

To the children of the Coshinski family Friday night, in addition to the apparition of Saigot, there appeared a ghost of the goblin kind. It was frightful to look upon, so they told their mother, having great horns, long arms and twitching fingers. They said that they screamed and the ghost fled. Nothing seems too extraordinary for the Coshinskis to believe, yet they discredit the story of their children.

Mrs. Coshinski now tells of an omen. She says that at 9 o'clock on the Monday morning one week previous to the killing of Saigot, she saw the half of a man's face appear above her coal house. Suddenly the whole face was shown, then the head was turned, and she saw a wound just back of the ear. The face was that of Michael Saigot.

The Coshinski family has five members. Their boarders number five. Each one of the ten claims to have seen the apparition many times. They give the same description. Their story has been given to the police through interpreters. Down town people laughed when they heard of it. Tonight a party of the skeptical will remain in the house and watch for the ghost. The Coshinskis and their boarders say it appears every night.

You will waste time if you try to cure indigestion or dyspepsia by starving yourself. That only makes it worse when you do eat heartily. You always need plenty of good food properly digested. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is the result of years of scientific research for something that would digest not only some elements of food but every kind. And it is the one remedy that will do it. Chas. W. Cupples, 139 W. Tremont street, Rider & Snyder, 12 E. Main St.

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## TONE OF TRADE BETTER.

**Pig Iron Production Near Record Figures, According to Dun's Review. Some Oother Features.**

New York, April 13.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade, issued today, said in part:

The tone of general business was better this week. Marked activity in the distribution of merchandise is reflected in the gains of 45.9 per cent in bank clearings at New York, compared with 1900, and 20.8 per cent over 1899, with gains of 13.5 and 10.8 for the same periods at leading cities outside New York. Even the textile markets show pronounced gain. Activity in the metals division has taken pig iron production to near record figures, and some dealers don't see how production of partly finished forms this year is to be made to meet the demand. The government report of the condition of wheat on April 1 is the surest possible basis upon which expectation of continued commercial prosperity could be founded. Stringency of money is largely local in New York, and does not alter reports from most of the larger cities of favorable conditions in collections. Railroad earnings in March were 7.4 per cent larger than last year, and 32.4 per cent over 1899, according to practically complete returns.

Speculation has been unusually heavy in foodstuffs, the local market averaging over 2,000,000 bushels of wheat daily. Prices receded sharply from the top point of two years ago, wheat losing about 4 cents for spot. Realizing sales were accelerated by expectation of a high percentage of winter wheat condition in the official report. Two elements of strength appeared to check the decline and caused some recovery; insects were reported numerous in the southwestern section, and foreign buying was sufficient to make Atlantic exports, flour included, 6,732,090 bushels in two weeks, against 3,912,857 last year, and 3,890,380 in 1899. Corn received better support, by manipulation and lighter interior receipts. The large increase in hog packing at the west, as compared with last year's figures, probably accounts for the first sign of pronounced weakness in pork products.

Textile fabrics are in better position, although improvement is slight and confirmed to a special lines. At eastern wool markets manufacturers have taken sufficient new material of late to indicate better orders for goods, and news from the west suggest that ranch owners are going to hold for better prices than now prevail. In the cotton goods division there has been more buying for China, while spring drygoods openings make encouraging exhibits.

Failures for the week numbered 203 in the United States, against 193 last year, and 24 in Canada, against 41 last year.

## MARKET NOT SO LIVELY.

**Tame Friday Compared With Excited Dealings Recently.**

New York, April 13.—Friday's stock market was rather a tame affair as compared with the excited dealings for some time past, but an imposing aggregate of business was nevertheless transacted and there were considerable fluctuations in prices. The market was extremely irregular all day, recovering sharply from the opening depression, but yielding again before the close, which was heavy in tone and decidedly below the best, but with considerable net gains remaining for many important stocks. Operations were of a highly manipulative character and seemed to have for their object to discourage the selling of stocks. No very aggressive efforts were apparent to attract renewed buying demand. Fluctuations were by no means so violent or so feverish as has been the rule of late. There were some wild advances among high priced investment stocks and some unusually active stocks, Northwest, after a preliminary decline rising 4 points, St. Paul preferred 2½, General Electric 3½, Consolidated Gas 6⅛, Brooklyn Union Gas 9 and a number of less prominent stocks from 2 to 3½. Speculation continued active in the copper stocks, and Amalgamted Copper rallied strongly from its opening loss, but did not hold the advance well, closing with a net rise of only 1⅜. Rumors continued conflicting regarding the status of the Burlington deal. The stock's extreme range was 3¾, and it closed with a net gain of a point. Rock Island rose 5½ from Thursday night's price and closed with a net gain of 4⅛. The New York public utilities were all strong, apparently on account of the fixing of the date of adjournment of the legislature. The coalers also became strong, giving rise to a disposition that the danger of a strike on the New Jersey Central had been averted. The market developed very general strength after the opening weakness, which was due to some extent to selling for London account, the denials of peace negotiations with the Boers and the hardening of the money rate in London serving to depress that market. The recovery here seemed to be closely connected with the more cheerful feeling regarding the money outlook. This was not reflected in the money rate itself until most of the day's requirements had been met, when belated lenders made considerable concessions in the rate of interest.

After the close of business on the Stock Exchange announcement was made from Washington that the secretary of the treasury had purchased $1,000,000 of government bonds in this market.

The heaviness of the United States Steel stocks was a disappointment to the speculators, as they are basing hopes of measures of protection against money stringency by large financial interests on the supposition that it is designed to support the prices of these stocks.

The price movement of bonds was irregular. Total sales, par value, $2,955,000.

United States bonds were all unchanged on the last call.

# PLEA OF CATHOLICS.

## Define Their Position On Education In Public Address.

### THEY OPPOSE STATE CONTROL.

**Claim This Tends Wholly Toward Secularization—Stand Unalterably For a Christianized System — High Schools Urged.**

Chicago, April 13.—A declaration of the Catholic position on education in the United States was adopted at the closing session of the national conference of the Association of Catholic Colleges. The resolution comprising the declaration received the unanimous assent of the representatives of 70 different colleges—practically the entire collegiate system of the Catholic church in America.

The declaration adopted was as follows:

First—That this Association of Catholic Colleges request its president, Rt. Rev. Thomas J. Conaty, respectfully to call the attention of the bishops of the United States, at their annual meeting, to the work of this conference in regard to our collegiate conditions, and especially to the importance of the high school movement.

Second—That the tendency of educational legislation forces us to warn our Catholic people of the systematic and well-defined effort in certain quarters toward absolute state control in education, thereby threatening and crippling all private educational effort, thus depriving a large class of the citizens of the liberty of maintaining schools in which their religion shall be made an essential element.

Third—That we remind legislators of the rights of conscience guaranteed to us by our American citizenship and call their attention to the system of schools which our people have maintained at great expense and sacrifice.

Fourth—That we protest against the unfair and unjust discriminations resulting from much of the educational legislation, and we appeal to the fairmindedness and sense of justice of the American people to protect us from such illiberality.

Fifth—That this conference of Catholic colleges convinces us that we are justified in asserting that our college system deserves the generous co-operation of all interested in higher Catholic education; and we pledge ourselves to use every effort to perfect still more our collegiate conditions.

Sixth—That we call upon all Catholics to recognize the imperative need of a more perfect organization of our educational system, and we assure them that with a fuller development of the Catholic high school we shall have a complete system, with its headship in the university, and thus we shall continue to maintain a high collegiate standard.

Words of cheer from across the sea were received in a cablegram of congratulation from Pope Leo XIII, dated Rome, April 12, 1901.

The cablegram was in answer to a message which the convention sent to the pope when it convened.

The following officers were chosen to serve during the ensuing year: President, Rt. Rev. Thomas J. Conaty, D. D., rector of the Catholic university, Washington; secretary and treasurer, Rev. John Conway, S. J., Gonzaga college, Washington, D. C. Members of the standing committee—Augustinians, Rev. Lawrence A. Delurey, Villanova college, Villanova, Pa.; Benedictines, Rev. Vincent Huber, St. Bedes college, Peru, Ills.; fathers of the Holy Cross, Rev. James French, Notre Dame university, Notre Dame, Ind.; diocesan, Rev. William L. O'Hara, Mount St. Mary's college, Emmetsburg, Md.; Jesuits, Rev. John Conway, Gonzaga college, Washington, D. C.

## BRYAN WAS NOT SNUBBED.

**Sixto Lopez Explains the Affair In Philadelphia.**

Boston, April 13.—Senor Sixto Lopez, the Filipino who lives here as a representative of the so-called Filipino government, made public the correspondence he has had with William J. Bryan in reference to the statement that he (Lopez) acted with discourtesy towards Mr. Bryan at the public meeting in Philadelphia on March 12. Senor Lopez in his letter says he was honored by Mr. Bryan's presence at the meeting. The note that was handed to Senor Lopez on the platform, "and of which the press has made so much," he says, was a welcome from a Masonic lodge.

Mr. Bryan, under date of April 6, said that he regretted inability to meet Senor Lopez. He assures Senor Lopez that the report to which he referred—the alleged act of discourtesy—gave him no concern, as "I am accustomed to have the opposition papers misconstrue everything with which I am connected." In closing Mr. Bryan says: "I was disappointed that our people did not last fall realize the dangers of imperialism, and feel sure that they will sooner or later return to American principles."

## ACCUSED "MOTHER" JONES.

**Mill Manager Asserted She Incited a Riot.**

Scranton, Pa., April 13.—Eight girls returning from work in the Bliss silk mill at Dickson last evening were set upon by 200 striking girls and a small regiment of breaker boys and roughly handled. Three girls were painfully injured by being struck with stones. A warrant was issued by General Manager Bliss for the arrest of Lizzie Stiebeler, who is accused of being the ringleader of the attacking party.

Manager Bliss, in an interview last night, accused "Mother" Jones of having incited the attack, and charges that Burgess Kennedy not only shut his eyes to it, but joined the mob in calling one of the company's foreign opprobious names.


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## LEGAL NOTICE.

The unknown heirs and devisees of Thomas Alexander, deceased and the unknown heirs and devisees of Philip Lewalt, deceased, will take notice that on the 22d day of March, A. D. 1901, Louise M. Zaiser, Charles J. Boll, Mary A. Dougherty, Agnes Bauhof, Harry L. Archinal and James C. Darr filed their petition in the Court of Common Pleas, of Stark County, Ohio, case No 14538 against the above named parties, setting forth that they respectively own and occupy and hold legal title to the several tracts of land hereinafter described and indicated; that defendants claim to have some right or title to said premises; but in fact have none, and their claims constitute a cloud upon plaintiff's title, and praying that their titles to the following real estate, situated in the County of Stark, and state of Ohio and described as follows:

Louise M. Zaiser's Real Estate:
Part of lot 194 in Canton, O. described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the east line of said lot No. 194, 96 and 84-100 feet south of the north east corner of lot No. 195; thence west and parallel with the north line of lot No. 194, 90 feet; thence south and parallel with the east line of said lot 36½ feet to the south line of lot No. 194; thence east with the south line of said lot 90 feet to the south-east corner of said lot; thence north with the east line of said lot 36½ feet to the place of beginning.

Charles J Boll's Real Estate:
Part of lots 194 and 195 in Canton, O. described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the north line of lot 195, 60 feet from the north-east corner of said lot; thence south and parallel to the east line of lots 194 and 195, 96 84-100 feet; thence west and parallel to the north line of lot 195, 30 feet; thence north and parallel to the east line of lots 194 and 195, 96 84-100 feet to a point on the north line of lot 195, 90 feet from the north-east corner of lot 195; thence east 30 feet along the north line of lot 195 to the place of beginning, with the privilege of driveway to the north side, as provided in the deeds of J. P. Fawcett, Assignee of L. M. Barrick to Agnes Bauhof, Harry L. Archinal and Charles J. Boll.

Mary A. Dougherty's Real Estate:
Part of lots 194 and 195 in Canton, O. described as follows:

Beginning at a point from the west line of lot No. 194, 97 feet south from the north west corner of lot No 195; thence south with the west line of said lot 194, 36 34-100 feet to south-west corner of said lot; thence east with the south line of said lot 110 feet; thence north parallel to the west line of said lot 36 34-100 feet; thence west and parallel to the south line of said lot 110 feet to the place of beginning, together with privilege of driveway as granted in deeds made by J. P. Fawcett, Assignee of L. M. Barrick to Harry L. Archinal, Charles J. Boll and Agnes Bauhof.

Agnes Bauhof's Real Estate:
Part of lots 194 and 195 in the City of Canton, described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the north line of lot 195, 30 feet from the north-east corner of said lot; thence south and parallel to the east line of lots 194 and 195, 96 84-100 feet; thence west and parallel to the north line of lot 195, 30 feet, thence north and parallel to the east line of lots 194 and 195, 96 84-100 feet to a point on the north line of said lot 195, 60 feet from the north-east corner of said lot; thence east 30 feet to the place of beginning, with the privilege of driveway as provided in deeds of J. P. Fawcett, Assignee of L. M. Barrick to Agnes Bauhof, Harry L. Archinal and Charles J. Boll

Harry L. Archinal's Real Estate:
Part of lots 194 and 195 in the City of Canton, described as follows:

Beginning at the north-east corner of lot 195; thence south along the east line of said lots 194 and 195, 96 84-100 feet; thence west and parallel to the north line of lot 195, 30 feet; thence north and parallel to the east line of lots 194 and 195, 96 84-100 feet to a point on the north line of lot 195, 80 feet from the north-east corner of said lot 195; thence east 30 feet to the place of beginning, with the privilege of driveway, as provided in the deeds of J. P. Fawcett, Assignee of L. M. Barrick to Agnes Bauhof, Charles J. Boll and Harry L. Archinal.

James C. Darr's Real Estate:
Part of lots 194 and 195 in the City of Canton, described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the west line of lot 195, 60 feet south of the northwest corner of said lot; thence south with the west line of lots 194 and 195, 37 feet; thence east and parallel with the north line of lot 195, 110 feet; thence north and parallel to the east line of lots 194 and 195, 37 feet; thence west and parallel to the north line of lot 195, 110 feet to the place of beginning, with the privilege of drive-way as specified in the deeds of J. P Fawcett, Assignee of L. M. Barrick to Agnes Bauhof, Charles J. Boll and Harry L. Archinal; (the above described premises are owned in fee simple and occupied by Louise M Zaiser, Charles J. Boll, Mary A. Dougherty, Agnes Bauhof, Harry L. Archinal and James C. Darr, respectively) be quieted as against any and all claims of interest therein claimed by said defendants and for such equitable relief as necessary. Said parties are required to answer on or before the 16th day of May, A. D. 1901 or judgment will be taken against them.

LOUISE M. ZAISER,
CHARLES J. BOLL,
MARY A. DOUGHERTY,
AGNES BAUHOF,
HARRY L. ARCHINAL,
and JAMES C. DARR,
Plaintiffs.


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# DESPERADO'S CRIMES.

## Robber Accused Of Killing A Pittsburg Grocer.

### ALSO MURDERED A DETECTIVE.

**Gave Two Other Officers Terrific Struggles and Was Badly Wounded. Two Other Men and Women Are Under Arrest.**

Pittsburg, April 13.—Two murders and the running to earth of a gang of five desperate burglars, one of whom was perhaps fatally shot, occurred in this city. The dead:

Thomas D. Kahney, of 13 Albert street, Mt. Washington, whose place was attacked by burglars, and who was killed while protecting his wife.

Patrick E. Fitzgerald, member of the Pittsburg bureau of detectives, who has long been known for his faithfulness and for remarkable physical strength and courage. He was shot in the heart by Edward Wright, whom he was trying to arrest as a suspect, charged with burglary and the murder of Kahney.

**Fatally Shot.**

Edward Wright, burglar, suspected of the murder of Kahney; wounded in the arm, leg and head by bullets fired by Police Inspector Robert Gray.

The cold-blooded murder of Kahney resulted in Superintendent of Detectives Roger O'Mara ordering the immediate apprehension of a gang concerning whose suspicious character he had been apprised the preceding day. While at first there was nothing definite to connect this gang with the Kahney burglary and robbery, later arrests and the desperate resistance of its members led to the conclusion that they were the ones responsible for these crimes, as well as for many robberies and burglaries during the past few months.

The gang captured included two men in addition to the one shot by Inspector Gray, and two women who remained at the houses, where they rented rooms and presumably kept watch over stolen goods and kept a lookout for signs of trouble, so that the gang could be ready to leave the town and avoid arrest. The names and descriptions of the party of suspects, so far as descriptions were obtained, are as follows:

Edward Wright, the man shot, 25 years old, agent.

Jessie Wright, his reputed wife, aged 22 years, servant.

J. D. Wright, brother of Edward, 28 years old, barber.

Robert Wilcox, 20 years old, musician.

Jennie Wright, his wife, aged 22 years, servant.

**Kahney's Murder the Climax.**

The killing of Kahney was the climax of a long series of robberies of the most daring character in this city and some suburban towns. By a curious coincidence of dates information of the presence of a band of suspicious men and women in the city was conveyed to Roger O'Mara, superintendent of detectives, the day before it occurred. Yesterday morning he ordered those suspected investigated, and if they were not able to give a satisfactory account of themselves that they be taken to Central station.

The man from his own force sent to do this work was Detective Fitzgerald. With him to assist in the investigation went Police Inspector Robert Gray and County Detective Robert G. Robinson. The information furnished the police gave the numbers of two houses in the hill district, where the parties it was thought might be robbers were lodging. These numbers were 1714 Bedford avenue and 32 Fulton street. The Bedford avenue house was the first visited. The house is owned and occupied by Thomas Boyd, an almost lifelong citizen of the vicinity, and the neighborhood is a highly respectable one.

They were met at the door by Mrs. Boyd, of whom they asked if she had roomers of the name of Wilcox. Upon her replying in the affirmative they pushed on upstairs without making explanations, and made an unceremonious entrance into Wilcox's room. Wilcox and his wife had apparently not been out of bed very long. They were taken completely by surprise, and when seized by the officers submitted to arrest without a struggle.

**Woman Tried to Hide Plunder.**

After they were secured, however, the woman was detected in an attempt to throw away a package of something which upon investigation proved to contain valuable jewelry and diamonds. The room the couple had occupied was searched and in it were found quite an assortment of burglars' tools, dynamite and chloroform, while three revolvers were secreted in the bed which they had occupied. All this stuff was taken possession of by the officers, who then started with their prisoners to No. 2 police station, only a short distance away on Center avenue. On arrival there the man and woman were locked in cells far removed from each other and their belongings were cared for by the desk sergeant.

The party of officers then proceeded to the house in Fulton street, taking with them Officer William H. West, a negro, whom they found in citizens' clothes at the station house.

On nearing the Fulton street house Inspector Gray instructed Officer West to remain on the outside ready to cover with his revolver anyone who might appear at a window.

The other three officers knocked at the door and were answered by Mrs. Anna Smith, mistress of the place. They pushed on past her into the house, and at the door which opens into the hall from the dining room they encountered John D. Wright, one of the men wanted. Detective Robinson asked him his name, and upon being told answered: "Well, we want you. You are under arrest."

Robinson took charge of the man and Inspector Gray and Detective Fitzgerald pushed on upstairs. They soon ascertained that the couple were in the front room of the house, however, as upon trying the door they found it locked, and the voice of a woman was heard from within, inquiring, "What do you want here?"

The detective rather gruffly told her to open the door, that they wanted to enter, and after a second she complied. As they afterward learned, while the door was locked Edward Wright, the man they were after, had opened a window and looked into the street below. It is probable he would have jumped for the street, but that he looked into the muzzle of a revolver of large caliber pointed at him by the colored policeman standing below. When the door of the room in which a double tragedy was shortly to be enacted was opened they found Edward Wright sitting upon the window sill, while his wife was standing near the center of the room.

**Wright Commenced to Shoot.**

"We want you," said Detective Fitzgerald to Wright, and started at him. Instantly the man whipped out a revolver and commenced to shoot. Before he had fired more than once or twice, however, the detective had got hold of him and taken the revolver away from him. Before they could clinch tightly with him, however, he had another weapon out and was blazing away with it.

Detective Fitzgerald was clinched with the burglar and suspected murderer, who was trying to shoot him, and Inspector Gray had a hard time in getting a chance to fire without running risks of shooting his comrade.

Suddenly he heard Fitzgerald say, "I'm done for, I'm shot, Bob," and he relaxed his hold upon the man he was fighting and fel at the foot of the bed.

Gray ceased firing for a minute and lifted the prostrate form of Fitzgerald to one side. Then he clinched with his antagonist and threw him over Fitzgerald's body, firing at him as he fell to the floor from the force of the push with which Gray put him from him. A second afterward he screamed that he was all in.

While the fight was going on in the upstairs room Detective Robinson had been having a lively time downstairs. When West ran upstairs he took his prisoner out into the street and turned him over to Thomas Scott and several citizens, telling them to hold him. Then he started for the upstairs room. He had no more than re-entered the house when he heard some one from the street cry out: "Look out, he's geting away." He turned back and found Wright struggling all over the sidewalk with Scott. He soon subdued him.

Edward Wright was playing a clever game upstairs which now developed. He was playing possum. He was scarcely hurt and had quit on Inspector Gray, hoping to find some means of escape.

When Gray went downstairs after the woman he turned his head around to West, who was standing at his feet with gun in hand.

"What did you murder that man for?" the negro asked.

"I never murdered anybody," Wright said. "I want to die."

Just then Robinson was bringing his brother into the hallway from the street. John head Edward speak.

"Are you there, Ed?" he cried out.

"Yes," Edward answered.

"You're not dead then," John cried again.

**West Had a Fierce Struggle.**

Edward did not answer. Instead, he jumped to his feet and caught West's right hand, which held the revolver, before the officer could use it. West was taken by surprise. Like Gray, he thought the man was badly hurt. West held onto his revolver and a hard struggle followed. The two men fought toward the front room door and into the room. Both men exerted every energy to get the gun. They fought over toward Fitzgerald's body and when they came to it both men tripped and fell. West saw Wright reach under the dresser and pull another revolver out. He grabbed the hand with his left. Then the fight was renewed. Each man had a revolver in his right hand and the left hand of each clutched the right of the other. Wright slowly worked his right hand up and turned his revolver toward West's head in spite of the latter's efforts to restrain him. West butted Wright just as the latter's pistol was discharged. The bullet grazed the officer's cheek, the powder scorching his face. Finally Wright broke away. Gray came upstairs and shot at Wright just as West shot three times. Wright fell down, but held on to his revolver. Joseph Gildernew came to their assistance. Wright was finaly knocked down and overcome.

Edward Wright was taken to the hospital and the other prisoners to the Central station.

## FORMALISM DENOUNCED.

**Asserted Not to Be a Good Thing In Kindergarten Work.**

Chicago, April 13.—Formalism in kindergarten work was condemned at the session of the International Kindergarten union by a number of prominent speakers. Colonel Francis W. Parker took particular exception to some of the methods now in vogue.

Boston was selected as the place of meeting for next year, the date to be decided by the national executive and local committees. These officers were elected: President, Mrs. Alice E. Putnam, Chicago; first vice president, Miss Laura Fisher, Boston; second vice president, Miss Mary D. Runyon, New York city; recording secretary, Miss Bertha Payne, Chicago; corresponding secretary and treasurer, Miss Fannibelle Curtis, New York city; auditor, Miss Harriet Nell, Washington, D. C.

**May Get After Taylor.**

Indianapolis, April 13.—A requisition on Governor Durbin for the extradition of W. S. Taylor, who was the Republican claimant for the Kentucky governorship during the Goebel contest, is not unexpected at the state house. A man in official position said that he believed the reopening of the Goebel case and the recent statements alleged to have been made by Mr. Taylor were for the purpose of paving the way for a requisition from Governor Beckham. Other reports strengthened this belief.

# NEWSPAPERS SUFFER.

## Paper Combine Denounced By Norris.

### EXPECTATIONS HAVE FAILED.

**Their Boast That They Control All Available Spruce Land and Water Power Asserted to Be False—Price of Newspaper Increased.**

Washington, April 13.—The manufacture of news print paper of the country was the subject of inquiry on the part of the industrial commission, Mr. John Norris, business manager of the New York Times, being the witness. Mr. Norris devoted his attention especially to the International Paper company. "I will assert, he said "that the International Paper company has failed in every expectation it held out to the newspapers and to the pubic. The cost of manufacture is greater under consolidation than under individual ownership of the paper mills. The economies which were to be obtained under the consolidated management have not been realized. The export trade has fallen off, or at least has not been increased, though that was to be the strong feature of the consolidated companies' effort. The promised policy of an enlightened self-interest has been abandoned and the net result to newspaper publishers has been an increase of over $4,800,000 per annum in the cost of news print paper."

He placed the output of news print paper at $26,000,000 per year.

Mr. Norris said the president of the consolidation is paid $50,000 a year and manufacturers' salaries were increased from $7,500 to $15,000. There also had been a vast addition to the spruce lands owned by the company, the area secured in the United States bringing the aggregate up to 1,000 square miles, while 2,000 square miles of this land are controlled in Canada. There had likewise been an increase in freight charges. All told, he placed the enhancement of the cost price of producing paper at $6 per ton. He knew of two newspapers which were paying an increase of $150,000 each annually on the paper used by them. Mr. Norris gave the daily output of news print paper at 2,055 tons, of which the International company furnished 1,200 tons, while the mills of the company have a capacity of 1,576 tons per day, and said there is a constant increase of producing capacity outside that company, notwithstanding the boast of the international company that it owned all paper water powers and all available spruce lands.

Mr. Norris attributed the recent increase in the price of paper to four causes, namely, to the Spanish-American war, the South African war, the drouth of 1899 and 1900, and the attempt of the International company to monopolize the spruce land. To meet the last difficulty he suggested that trade relations with Canada should be promoted, in order that the practically inexhaustible pulp supply of that country might be drawn up. "We should," he said, "adopt the plan which President McKinley has advocated, of remitting those taxes which experience has shown to be most burdensome to the industries of the people." He asserted that the International company had opposed Canadian reciprocity and that the result had been Canadian reprisals. He advocated the removal of the tariff on wood pulp as in the interest of all classes.

# FIGHT WITH DESPERADOES.

**Two Men Were Killed During a Fight in the Mountains of Kentucky.**

Frankfort, Ky., April 13.—The Lexington and Louisville batteries of the Kentucky state guards were put in readiness last night to be sent to Letcher county, where a sheriff and two deputies were reported to have been killed while trying to arrest several mountain desperadoes, charged with the murder of Mrs. Jemima Hall and her son.

The county judge of the county wired for troops, fearing further trouble, but later news was to the effect that troops are not needed and they will not be sent. Letcher county has no telegraph facilities.

**Potters Not to Strike.**

Cleveland, April 13.—A special to The Leader from East Liverpool said: There will be no strike of pottery workers on Saturday. New developments have arisen which put a quietus on such a step for the present.

**His Sad Blunder.**

Yes, it was a sad blunder.

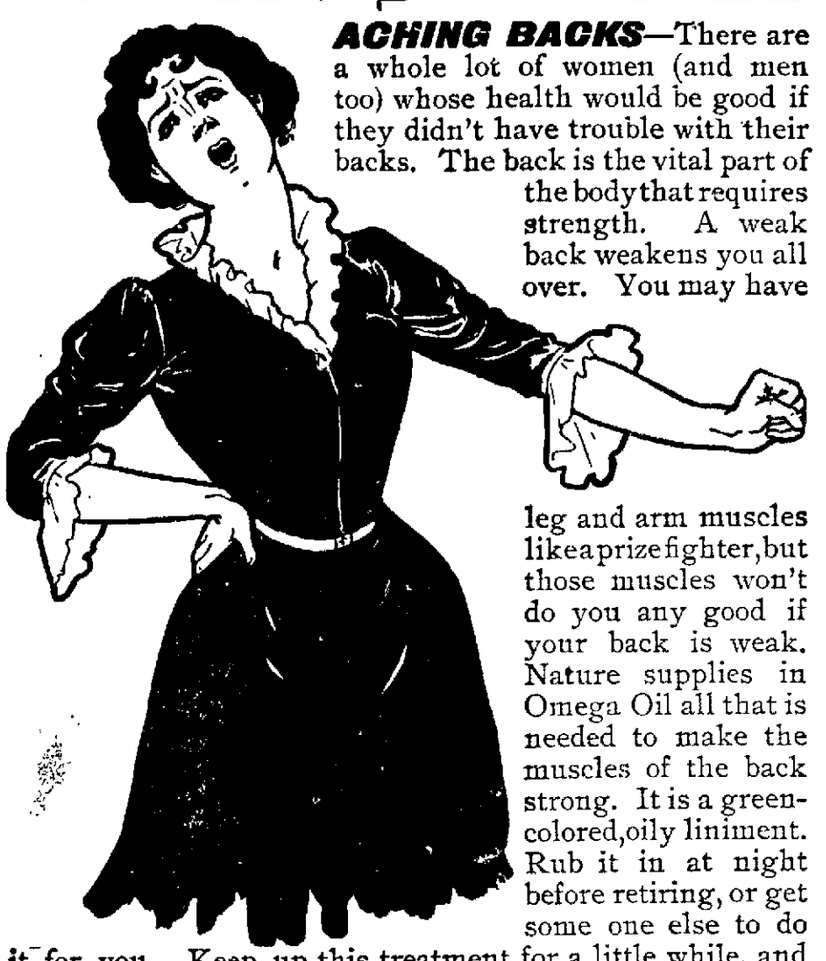
He thought the children were in the other room, but it so happened that it was occupied by his wife and a lachrymose neighbor. We all know these sensitive women who weep on the slightest provocation, who begin to sniffle when they talk of their woes, this being really little more than a bid for words of comfort, and this woman was one of them. What had happened is quite immaterial. Something had been said or done that had completely upset her, and in her appeal for solace she sniffled.

As before remarked, he thought the children were in the other room, and one of the children had been suffering from cold in the head. Of course every one knows how annoying a youngster with a cold in the head can be, and he was not in the best of humor anyway.

"For heaven's sake, blow your nose!" he cried at last.

Oh, yes; it was a sad blunder, but even blunders have their compensations. The lachrymose one does not come to that house for sympathy as she formerly did.—Chicago Post.


# Omega Oil



**ACHING BACKS**—There are a whole lot of women (and men too) whose health would be good if they didn't have trouble with their backs. The back is the vital part of the body that requires strength. A weak back weakens you all over. You may have leg and arm muscles like a prize fighter, but those muscles won't do you any good if your back is weak. Nature supplies in Omega Oil all that is needed to make the muscles of the back strong. It is a green-colored, oily liniment. Rub it in at night before retiring, or get some one else to do it for you. Keep up this treatment for a little while, and your back won't hurt any more. If weak women will use more Omega Oil outside and less drugs inside, they will be better off. You simply rub it into the pores, and next day you'll feel its good effects. It is good for everything a liniment ought to be good for.

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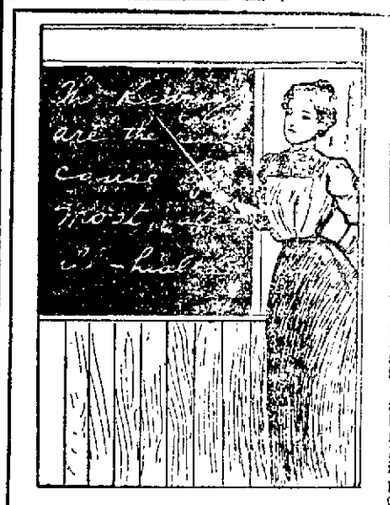

## Another Lesson in Health.

BACKACHE—lumbago—rheumatism—tired out feeling—all indicate disorder in the kidneys. No hope of good health while your kidneys are wrong. They are the strainers of the blood and must be kept right if you're to have health.

Foley's Kidney Cure is guaranteed to make the kidneys right—to put them in perfect health. You run no risk. It's guaranteed. Buy a bottle to-day if you're not feeling right.

W. L. YANCY, Paducah, Ky., writes: "I had a severe case of kidney disease and three of the best physicians of southern Kentucky treated me without success. I was induced to try Foley's Kidney Cure. The first bottle gave immediate relief and three bottles cured me permanently. I gladly recommend this wonderful remedy."

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## FORAKER ON PORTO RICO.

**More Prosperous Than For Years. Admits Suffering Exists.**

Washington, April 13.—Senator Foraker, of Ohio, chairman of the committee which deals with Porto Rican affairs, was in Washington, and discussed conditions in Porto Rico from information received by him. He has many letters from the island, and has been in constant correspondence and communication with prominent men of Porto Rico, and said that his information is contrary to that presented by the delegations which recently have visited the United States.

Senator Foraker further said in part: "The island is in a more prosperous condition than it has been for years and has a better outlook than it has had in 200 years. There is no part of the world where taxes are as light as they are in Porto Rico. The men who are here asking for relief are those who advocated a 25 per cent tariff, instead of 15 per cent, which is the present law, and wanted the entire tax removed from land. It is this land tax that is worrying those of the people who are making complaints, yet this tax is very light. The only possible objection is to that provision of the law which compels taxes to be paid within six months under pain of forfeiture of the land. It is not likely that any land ever will be forfeited under this law. Governor Allen already has signified his willingness to call the legislature together and so modify or repeal this particular provision. It is true that there are a large number of people in Porto Rico who always have been poverty-stricken, and still are."

Senator Foraker expects to visit Porto Rico just before the reassembling of congress, and will make as thorough an investigation for his own information, of conditions, as his limited time will afford.

## NEW LIBEL LAW SIGNED.

**Separate Orphans Court For Westmoreland and Other Measures.**

Harrisburg, April 13.—Governor Stone Friday signed the McClain-Cooper libel bill.

The following bills were also signed by the governor:

Authorizing school boards to grant the use of school houses for lyceum and other literary purposes.

Establishing a separate orphans' court in Westmoreland county.

Confirming the acknowledgement of deeds and other instruments of writing taken before George R. Bothwell, of Allegheny, a notary public.

Regulating the billing of hay and straw and making the weight of the bale.

Empowering the owners and lessees of real estate to kill hare or rabbit upon their premises at all seasons of the year.

Providing for the taking of disposition in cases pending before magistrates and justices of the peace.

Some bills were introduced at a session of the house Friday.

After going through the calendar of the second reading bills the house adjourned until Monday, about 8 o'clock being the time selected to meet.

## Sheriff's Sale.

THE STATE OF OHIO, STARK COUNTY, ss

The Massillon Loan & Building Co., vs. Mary J. Grass, et al. } ORDER OF SALE

By virtue of an order of sale issued by the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas of Stark County, Ohio, and to me directed I will offer for sale at public auction at the door of the court house, in the city of Canton, on

**Saturday, April 20, 1901,**

the following described real estate, to-wit:

Situated in the City of Massillon, County of Stark, and State of Ohio, and described as follows: All that certain tract of fourteen and one-half (14½) acres, more or less, part of the north part of lot number forty eight (48) according to the original and duly recorded map or plat of the amicable division or partition of certain lands made October 17th, 1848, by and between William S. Wetmore, Richard S. Fay and the executors of Amos Binney deceased, of which William Jenner, or Yenner, on or about August 1839 died seized, and which was on March 10, 1898, conveyed by Charles A. Krider, as sheriff of said county by deed of that date to Joseph Grass to which reference is here made, and being also or intended to be, the same premises as were conveyed to said William Jenner by Kent Jarvis and wife by their deed dated February 3, 1854, recorded in the Deed Records of said county Vol. No 54 Page 168, less one-half acre sold and conveyed out of the same by him and his wife to his son, William Jenner, jr., by deed dated September 11, 1880, recorded in said Deed Records Vol. No. 170 Pages 382 and 383 to which records reference is here made. House number being 269, Washington avenue.

Appraised at fifteen hundred dollars ($1,500.)

Terms cash.

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock a m

JOHN J ZAISER, Sheriff.

Willison & Day, Attorneys


# Two Valuable Farms

Adjoining the City of Canton, Ohio, to be Sold.

The sheriff will offer for sale at the door of the court house, in the city of Canton, on

**Saturday, May 4th, 1901, at 10 o'clock A. M,**

by order of partition, the following land:

## Tract Number One:

Situate in the township of Canton, County of Stark and State of Ohio, and known as being the west half of the southeast quarter of section number 14, township 10 and range 8, consisting of eighty acres more or less. Appraised at $7,200.

## Tract Number Two:

Situate in the township of Canton, County of Stark and State of Ohio, and known as being the east half of the southeast quarter of section, 14 township 10 and range 8, consisting of eighty acres more or less. Appraised at $8,800

The above farms are two of the most valuable in Canton township, adjoining the city east of Waco and known as the Sherrick farms.

Terms. One-third cash, one-third in one year and one-third in two years, with interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum. Notes to be secured by mortgage on the premises.

**J. J. ZAISER, Sheriff.**

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# LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

**Discovered this Week by Independent Investigators.**

Miss Daisy Smith, of Barberton, is visiting at the home of her brother, Hartley Smith.

Dr. A. A. Hallock, who now resides in Cherry street, has opened an office in the Pille building.

Miss Julia Wells, of Toledo, and Miss Estella Miller, of Wooster, are guests of Miss Eva Alexander.

Judge and Mrs. A. J. Ricks and Miss Ricks are guests at the W. F. Ricks residence in Prospect street.

Louis F Prevost, city engineer of Lima, dropped dead in a Masonic lodge room in that city Thursday evening.

Benjamin Baughman and Miss Clara Slutz, both of whom live near Navarre, were quietly married on Thursday afternoon at the Evangelical parsonage, in Wilmot.

The Stark County Horticultural Society will meet at the residence of H. W. Hassler, three miles northeast of Canton, on the Harrisburg road, on Wednesday, April 17. M. H. Rockhill, secretary.

The seventeenth annual reunion of the survivors of the ill-fated steamer Sultana and the thirty-sixth anniversary of that disaster will be held at Lindsey, O., April 30 All the comrades and their wives will be entertained free.

Marshal Jeremiah Kitchen has received, with the compliments of the state board of public works, a card giving him the right to fish and hunt on state property and free passage on all state canal boats except dredges

The trustees of St. Mary's church Thursday took out a building permit for the proposed rectory, whose erection will cost $7,500. The rectory is to be located on the site of its predecessor. It is to be completed by September 1.

The current issue of the United Mine Worker's Journal contains a cut of John F. Mossop, of North Lawrence, one of the old-time workers in the Massillon coal field Mr. Mossop is now serving his third year as a member of the auditing committee of the national union.

Miss Mathilda Drage and John F. Malzahn, of Crystal Spring, were married on Thursday at 2:30 p. m. at St. Paul's Lutheran parsonage. The young people were attended by Miss Martha Schaar and Fred G. Malzahn. They will make their home in Crystal Spring

There is very little Massillon coal in the city because of the trouble with the hoisting engineers. For the past week no Massillon coal has been received in Akron. The mines are shut down. Cleveland dealers are unable to get a pound of Massillon coal.—Akron Beacon.

William Smith arrived in the city today to be the guest of his brother, Hartley Smith, for a short time. Mr. Smith has been in the Lakeside hospital at Cleveland, for some time past, a sufferer from typhoid fever. He was employed in a Cleveland rolling mill when taken sick.

About 1 o'clock Thursday morning burglars blew open the safe in the Wheeling & Lake Erie railway office at Bellevue with a charge of dymanite. Only two dollars in revenue stamps was secured. Local officers made an unsuccessful attempt to capture them. The officers say there were four of them

Ill health necessitated the return of Thomas Burd from San Juan, Puerto Rico. Several months ago Mr. Burd accepted a position in a San Juan banking house as the successor of Thorn Dillon, now of the Massillon Savings and Banking Company. A sufferer from catarrh, Mr Burd hoped that a change of climate would be beneficial. The result, however, was otherwise.

Pius, Nicholas and Michael Schandel, who arrived Friday from Silverton, Tex., whither they went a few weeks ago for the purpose of purchasing 1,000 acres of land and becoming cattlemen, say that it had not rained in that region for five weeks. The grass was practically all dead, there being scarcely enough for the erection of a sod house, in which they lived while there. The prospect discouraged them, and they did not close negotiations for the land.

A special from Bridgeport to the Cleveland Leader says: "The Pittsburg & Wheeling Coal Company, which owns nearly all the mines on the Ohio river division of the Cleveland, Lorain & Wheeling railroad, has begun opening a big new mine near Maynard, five miles west of here. The Cleveland, Lorain & Wheeling engineers today began laying out the route for a branch road to reach the mine. Three hundred miners will be employed, and it is hoped to begin shipping before the lake season closes."

The Northern Ohio Traction Company has decided upon a route from Turkeyfoot lake to Canton. The road will be built over private right of way through Greentown and New Berlin. The company at first intended to reach Canton from New Berlin on the highway, but it has decided to secure a private right of way from New Berlin to Canton, and this will be done. The route chosen almost parallels the route of the Canton-Akron electric railway from Greentown to Canton. Work on the road will be commenced as soon as the right of way can be secured.—Akron Beacon.

A large number of horses for use in the United States army are to be secured in this part of the country. A. J Heineman, of Mansfield, has an order for 500 horses, and is now securing the animals to be used in the artillery and cavalry service in this country. The horses to be bought are to range from 15 hands 1 inch to 16 hands high and from 1,050 to 1,500 pounds in weight. They are to be from 5 to 7 years old and must be sound and in good shape. After the horses have been secured they will be sent to Chicago and from there to Chattanooga, Tenn., for distribution to various posts in the South.—Wooster Republican.

Art Simms is about to start for home, having been unable to secure a match with any of the English boxers in his class. Simms made liberal offers in weight as an inducement for the Englishmen to cover his deposit, but they were afraid of the Akron boy and would not risk their money. The famous English sporting paper, "Mirror of Life," in concluding a lengthy criticism of the English pugilists, says: "Time was when, for the honor of the old country, home of the very useful brigade at this weight, which might be denominated the 'feathers,' would have fallen over each other to be first to plank down their 'cole' in order to have a shy at the Yank. These days, however, are past, and we behold the sorry spectacle of 'Artie' Simms, with money in all pockets, trailing his coat for some of the boxers to tread upon it without the Donnys brook result."

## OBITUARY NOTICE.

GEORGE H. WALLACE.

A message received in the city this morning from Santa Fe, N. M., announced the death of George H. Wallace, secretary of the territory of New Mexico. Mr Wallace had been ill for several days with pleurisy, but his death was unexpected and was, therefore, a great shock to friends and relatives in Massillon. Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Everhard, of this city, are with Mrs. Wallace in Santa Fe, having recently reached that point on their return trip from California. The body will probably be taken to Canton for burial. Mr. Wallace had filled the position of secretary of New Mexico for about five years. Previous to that time he was United States consul at Melbourne, Australia. Mrs. Wallace is a cousin of Mrs. Everhard.

MRS. LOUISA VOGT.

Mrs. Louisa Vogt, aged 87 years, died at her home west of the city Friday morning. Heart trouble was the cause of death. The funeral will take place from St. Paul's church on Sunday at 2 p. m.

# RIOT AT SUMMERHILL PA.

**Contractor Kerbaugh's Men Got to Shooting, Three Being Wounded and Two Will Die.**

Johnstown, a., April 13.—Wholesale murder was attempted near Summerhill, this county, last night. Three persons were shot and two are expected to die. The wounded are Christina Padula, shot in back, ball went through body; Guiseppe Icoville, shot in right side and in left side under heart, both balls passing through his body; Fedorico Mazma, shot in head, bullet glanced from skull, leaving scalp wound. The first two are expected to die. The participants in the fight were all formerly employed by Contractor H. S. Kerbaugh, on the Pennsylvania railroad between Summerhill and Wilmore

A lot of white men and negroes were discharged Friday. Last night about 10 o'clock some of the whites and blacks went to the bake house and demanded bread. They were refused and opened fire on the Italians who were sitting around the stove. About 100 shots were exchanged in all. The police here and in other towns have been notified to arrest all strange persons.

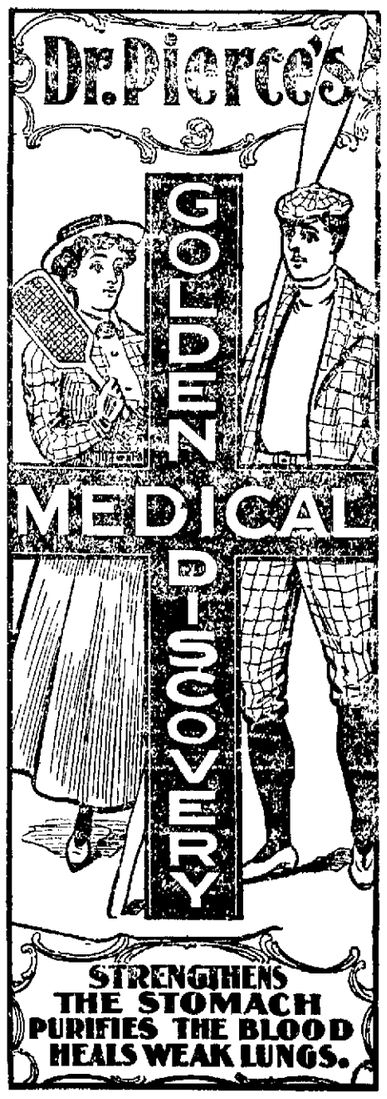
Before the discovery of sugar drinks were sweetened with honey.

**A Nice Family Mix Up.**

A widower with a number of small children married a widow who was similarly blessed. In due time the newly married couple added to the number. Hearing a voice in the yard one day, the father went out to see what was the matter.

"Well, what was it?" asked his wife as he returned out of breath.

"Your children and my children were quarreling with our children," was the reply.—London Answers.




## NEARBY TOWN NEWS

M'DONALDSVILLE BRIEFS.

McDONALDSVILLE, April 13.—J. F Keck has begun work with his men on John Smith's barn.

G. M. Strausser is farming his father's farm this summer.

Mr. Bruma, north of town, while burning brush, set fire to Aaron Stoner's woods, Tuesday evening. Considerable damage was done.

The singing society will give a concert in the near future.

WEST BROOKFIELD NOTES.

WEST BROOKFIELD, April 13.—The school election was held in the township hall, April 8th. The nominees were David Levers and Peter Scharles. Mr. Levers was re-elected.

Mrs. Anna Miller and the Misses Daisy Miller and Millie Gaddis visited in Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Flora Miller, at Dublin, O.

Mrs. Snyder, of Indiana, is visiting relatives at this place.

Mr. Lamon, of Garver avenue, moved to Navarre on April 9.

Jacob Kraft moved on April 10 from Main street to Fred Blantz's house in Garver avenue.

OUR DALTON LETTER.

DALTON, April 13.—The Rev. E. K. Mechlin was in Londonville this week attending a meeting of the presbytery.

Miss Spake, of Apple Creek, is visiting her brother.

Mrs. B. B. Baughman and children, of Canton, spent Wednesday and Thursday at Dr. Roebuck's residence.

Miss Ida Young, of Canton, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. Houghton, in Schultz avenue.

The Rev. George Burns, en route to Pittsburg, visited several days this week with his sister, Mrs. Mechlin.

Benjamin Groff, of Sippo, who spent the winter in Texas receiving treatment for rheumatism, is visiting at the home of Dr. Haney.

Earl Roebuck, who has been attending school in Columbus, is home on account of ill health.

Mrs. David Foltz, of Shreve, is visiting this week with Dr. and Mrs. Sanderson.

Born, to Adam Schultz and wife, a daughter, on Easter morning.

Herbert Harper, of Kent, spent Sunday with relatives in Dalton.

Mrs. W. D. Harper, with her little daughter, of New Berlin, are visiting at the home of her parents.

James Taggart left Monday morning, after visiting his sister, Mrs. James Buchanan.

Burton Gibson spent Sunday with friends in his old home at Winfield.

Ford Young entertained twelve members of the X. Y. Z. Club at his home, last Thursday evening, with caroms. Dainty refreshments were served.

Henry Bowers and F. F. Taggart, of Massillon, were business visitors in Dalton this week.

Mrs. Anthony Owens is so much improved in health that Miss Jennie was able to return to Wooster, Sunday, to resume her work in the Bixler Business college.

John Baughman, of Carbon, Pa., visited this week with his mother, Mrs. Amanda Baughman.

Mrs. John Cole is visiting in Pittsburg, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Ettie McClintock.

NEWS FROM CRYSTAL SPRING.

CRYSTAL SPRING, April 13.—Mrs. Joseph Miner left on Friday for Decatur, Ind., called there by the serious illness of her mother.

William Leonard returned home Monday, after a week's visit with relatives in Barberton.

Tony Peachalily has opened a shoemaker shop in the Ries building.

Fred Fetzer, of Massillon, paid our village his semi-monthly visit on Tuesday.

A woman who had escaped from the Massillon state hospital created a little excitement in town, Thursday afternoon, until taken into custody by her captor and returned to her cell.

The spring term of school commenced on Monday, with the same corps of teachers in charge as last winter. Some sixty pupils are enrolled in each of the two rooms, rendering it impossible for the teachers to do justice to the scholars in the way of educating them. A petition is now before the board of education asking that another room be added to the present schoolhouse, and no doubt the request will be granted. The project of building a new schoolhouse west of the river has delayed matters.

A grand ball will be given tonight, Saturday, in Leonard's hall. The Canal Fulton orchestra will furnish the music.

Jacob Miesmer, of Port Huron, Mich., spent several days in town, with relatives this week. He was on his way home from Tennessee, whither he had gone in the interest of a Michigan lumber firm.

Our baseball team has been organized for the coming season with "Cy" Leonard as manager. The opening game will be played Sunday, when the giant Hemlocks of this place are to be arrayed by Captain Peter Miesmer against the first nine. The Hemlocks did not lose a game last summer, and have a record A 1. There is much speculation as to the outcome Sunday.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

Following is the programme for the Jackson Township Teachers' Institute to be held on the evening of April 20 at Crystal Spring:

Woman's Work and Wages .....
.....Meta B. Housman
Helps and Hints or How to Think.....
.....Nelson M. Keck
How and What to Read..... W. A. Alley
Mainspring of Success .....Ella Crites
The Value of Pleasing Manner. W. E Smith
Waiting for Something to Turn Up.....
.....J. B. Fierstos

Those famous little pills, DeWitt's Little Early Risers, will remove all impurities from your system, cleanse your bowels and make them regular.—Chas. W. Cupples, 139 West Tremont street; Rider & Snyder, 12 East Main street.

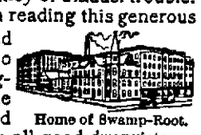

## DO YOU GET UP WITH A LAME BACK?

**Kidney Trouble Makes You Miserable.**

Almost everybody who reads the newspapers is sure to know of the wonderful cures made by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

It is the great medical triumph of the nineteenth century; discovered after years of scientific research by Dr. Kilmer, the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, and is wonderfully successful in promptly curing lame back, kidney, bladder, uric acid troubles and Bright's Disease, which is the worst form of kidney trouble.

Dr. Kilmer's **Swamp-Root** is not recommended for everything but if you have kidney, liver or bladder trouble it will be found just the remedy you need. It has been tested in so many ways, in hospital work, in private practice, among the helpless too poor to purchase relief and has proved so successful in every case that a special arrangement has been made by which all readers of this paper who have not already tried it, may have a sample bottle sent free by mail, also a book telling more about Swamp-Root and how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The regular fifty cent and dollar sizes are sold by all good druggists.


Home of Swamp-Root.


## The Massillon Market.

The following prices are paid by Massillon merchants today:

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| **GRAIN, HAY, STRAW AND WOOL.** | |
| Wheat (old) | 75 |
| Hay, per ton | 12 00 to 13 00 |
| Straw, per ton | $8 00 9 00 |
| Corn | 40-42 |
| Oats | 25-27 |
| Clover Seed | 6 00-7 00 |
| Timothy Seed | 2 00 |
| Rye, per bu | 50 |
| Barley | 48 |
| Flax seed | 1 50 |
| Wool (unwashed,) | 18-18 |
| Wool (washed) | 25 |
| **FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.** | |
| Potatoes, per bushel new | 40 |
| Beets, per bushel | 40 |
| Apples | 90-1 00 |
| Cabbage, per pound | 1½ |
| Evaporated apples | 08 to 10 |
| **BUTTER, EGGS AND POULTRY** | |
| Butter | 16-18 |
| Eggs (fresh) | 10 |
| Chickens, dressed | 11 |
| Turkeys, live | 08½ |
| Turkeys, dressed | 12 |
| **MEATS AND CHEESE.** | |
| Ham | 12½ |
| Shoulder | 09 |
| Lard | 09 |
| Sides | 06 to 07 |
| Cheese | 12 |
| The following are retail prices: | |
| Bran, per 100 lbs | 1 00 |
| Middlings per 100 lbs | 1 00 |

## Candidate Announcements.

COUNTY TREASURER.

Please announce the name of Aaron J. Stoner of Jackson Township for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Republican primaries, 1901.

J Royal Snyder, deputy treasurer, is announced as a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Republican primary.

Ephraim Pickens of Washington Township, Louisville, Ohio, is announced as a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Republican primaries of 1901.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

Please announce the name of Austin A. Hay as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Republican primary.

COUNTY AUDITOR.

The name of M. W Oberlin of Massillon, Ohio, is announced as a candidate for Auditor of Stark county, subject to the decision of Republican primary.

The name of Joseph H. McConnell, of Alliance, is announced as a candidate for auditor, subject to the decision of the Republican primary.

CLERK OF COURTS.

Jacob J. Wise announces his candidacy as Clerk of Courts subject to the decision of the Republican primaries.

SHERIFF.

The name of R. F. Wilson, of Mapleton, is announced as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican primary.

The name of Frank McKinney (Deputy Sheriff) is announced as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican primary.

The name of Thos. J. Bidwell, of Canton, O., is announced as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican primary.

The name of James W. Calhoun, of Canton, is announced as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican primary, Saturday, May 4, 1901.

STATE REPRESENTATIVE.

Wm. B. Martin is announced as a candidate for State Representative, subject to the decision of the Republican primary.

R. A Pollock, of North Lawrence, is announced as a candidate for the Republican renomination of State Representative for a second term.

Please announce the name of Clark W. Metzgar, of Richville, O. as a candidate for State Representative, subject to the decision of the Republican primary, second term.

INFIRMARY DIRECTOR.

The name of Thomas J Miller, of Canton, is announced as a candidate for Infirmary Director, subject to the decision of the Republican primrry, May 4.

STATE SENATOR.

The name of Rev. G. W. Brown, of Fairhope, is announced as a candidate for State Senator, subject to the decision of the Republican primary Saturday, May 4, 1901.

George W. Wilhelm, of Justus, is announced as a candidate for State Senator (second term) subject to the decision of the Republican primaries, Saturday, May 4, 1901.

Seats are now on sale for "Arizona."


# ECHOES

....OF THE....

# Great Mill End Sale.

THE wonderful sale of desirable merchandise that has been going on at our store for the last two weeks closed Saturday night. It has been a record breaker in every respect. Our store has been crowded from morning till night with pleased buyers, who fully appreciated the splendid bargains they secured. We have made arrangements with Mr. Lockhart to dispose of the balance of the Mill Ends that are left, small lots and odds and ends. Don't fail to secure these bargains; they will last but a few days. We mention a few of the bargains:

Best Percales, 12½c goods, only 9c.

Good Lawns, 3½c.

Best Prints, 3½c.

1500 yards All Wool Albatross, pink, blue and cream, regular 50c quality, 25c. This case was delayed in transit and only opened Saturday.

Cotton Blankets, three or four cases left, and are marked just about one-half price.

These, of course, are Mill End prices, and only for the lots that are left.

Odds and ends of the great Mill End sale will be closed at Mill End prices.

# HUMBERGERS'.

WARWICK BLOCK, MASSILLON.


### WANTED.

BOY at Bahney's book store; must be over 15 years old.

BOY—A boy to learn the paper hanging trade. Apply at 82 Third street, H. Parnacott, or call at Bahney's store.

DISH WASHERS—Four dish washers at Hotel Conrad at once.

COOK STOVE; good condition; 4 lids, fitted for gas coal or wood, 15 gal. reservoir and pipe 42 East Oak street.

COW—One cow with twin calves; also a yearling heifer and steer, and three pups. Apply to Adam Dietz.

EGGS—Full blooded rose-comb brown leghorn eggs, setting price 75c. C. W. Potter, phone 347, Massillon Cemetery Granite Works.

FOUR-roomed house with out kitchen city and cistern water and natural gas. 163 Duncan street. Inquire of Frank Ress, 14 W. Cherry street.

HOUSE—A seven-roomed house, bath and toilet room, corner E. Oak and McLain streets; possession given at once. Terms, inquire Wm. F. Ricks, at Merchant's Bank.

HOUSE No. 63 S. East street; lot 35x100. New 8-roomed house, best ever planned and built here strictly for sale; both waters, electricity, gas, bath, laundry furnace, sewer connection, back vented plumbing. Warren E. Russell, 25 Prospect street.

HOUSE—A six roomed house and hall, city and cistern water, fruit and shade trees and sewer, at the corner of Wellman and High streets. Property can be divided into three lots, by having them front on High street. Inquire of Chas. L. Halter, 21 North Erie street, or at premises.

HOUSE—A desirable home, conveniently located, gas city and cistern water. For particulars inquire at premises, 117 North East street or at Smith's granite works, 387 South Erie street.

LAND—15 acres with good house and barn well and cistern, 2 miles northeast of Massillon. Inquire of John H. Fetzer, 40 N. Erie street.

LOTS—Now is the time to buy a good lot on easy terms, in Rick's addition, West Side right on the street car line. For terms inquire of Wm. F. Ricks, Merchants National Bank.

NEW house, 163 Green street; five rooms, city water, gas; will be sold cheap; easy payments. House will be completed about April 15 Geo. R. Hankins.

ONE six roomed house, 61 Wooster street Inquire at premises.

ONE five-roomed house close to C., L. & W railway depot, price $1,800

One seven roomed house on Water street, close to C., L. & W. depot, price $1,200.

One six roomed house on Columbus street on car line, price $1,100.

One five roomed house on Houston street, price $1,100.

The Taylor house on Hill street, and three lots on East street.

Lot on Wood street, price $175.

House, corner of Tremont and Hill streets price $3,500.

Six roomed house just off S. Erie street, price $2,000.

Two houses on S Erie street, price $2,500 each. See S. Burd.

PIANO—A Kranich & Bach New York piano good as new, cabinet brand, also a folding bed, oak finish with large mirror. Inquire at Wilcox House

PIANO—Beautiful new Upright piano, San Domingo mahogany case, $3 per week until paid. Address 132 P. O. box, Massillon.

PROPERTY in East Main street, 54x230, facing both Main and Plum streets. Inquire of T. H. Smith.

PROPERTIES—Several properties located in various parts of the city, including the Tipping property on W. Main street. See J E. Johns, Insurance and Real Estate. 18½ E. Main street.

SALE—Wm Castleman's watch and office desk and office chairs and electric machine for one week. Inquire at corner of East Plum and Cypress Sts., city.

SIX-roomed house finished in hard wood, reception hall, city water fruit and shade trees. Inquire of Wm. Howarth, Woodland avenue.

SALOON and dwelling house; brick house containing eight rooms located 127-129 S Canal street, near Reed & Co.'s glass works; good business establishment. Ill health cause for selling N. Schneider.

STOVE—A three-burner gasoline stove in good condition. Mrs. W. S. Hays, 44 E. Main street.

STOVES—Two old-fashioned stoves; one a low open hearth, soft coal stove; the other a quaintly decorated wood stove Inquire at this office.

TWO heavy two-horse wagons, purpose for hauling stone; one two-seat carryall, split fence posts. Inquire of John B. Snyder, 211 E. North St.

### FOR RENT

BAKERY—Mrs. Grojean's bakery. Inquire at premises.

FURNISHED room for rent. 65 Plum St.

HOUSE—An eight-roomed house with bath room, furnace, mantles; corner lot 52x180 feet, situated corner North and Front streets. For particulars and terms call on Joseph B Schrader, 41 N Erie street.

HOUSE—New house, all modern improvements, ten rooms and bath. Wellman street, one block from cars. Geo. R. Hankins

ROOM—A nicely furnished front room near the park, with all conveniences in the house, for one or two gents. Call at this office

TWO nice office rooms on second floor over Schuckers's drug store, corner of Main and Mill streets. Inquire at Hess, Snyder & Co.'s office

### LOST.

TELESCOPE—A long telescope, left in some place business place in this city. Finder leave at Dr. Jones' and get reward.

### MISCELLANEOUS.

CARPETS taken up, cleaned and relaid satisfactory by David Cunningham Leave orders at Boo Too Shaving Parlors.

CARPET CLEANED and RENOVATED—I do carpet cleaning and renovating at the very lowest price; goods called for and delivered. John Heinsler, Canton road. Bell telephone 124.

COAL—Order Kryder coal from Hankins's bank at Geo. Rink, Massillon, Phone 52

HANDSOME rugs, all sizes, made from old ingrain and Brussels carpet by the Summers' Rug Co, Cleveland; call, phone or address Montgomery, Hotel Conrad. In Massillon all next week.

ROPE portieres and rugs; handsome designs, made from old chenille curtains; also silk draperies from old silk rags; phone or address Montgomery, Hotel Conrad, for information. In Massillon all next week.

VAULTS and cesspools cleaned. Chas. Swarms 25 Warwick street. Farmers phone 426 or leave orders at Fetzer's blacksmith shop, North Erie street.

WALL paper and carpets cleaned; prices right. Call on or address postal card to C. Reed, 92 Akron St.

### For Sale or Rent.

HOUSE—A ten-roomed house in excellent condition, large cellar, furnace etc. a large and desirable lot; situated on the southeast corner of North and Center streets. It will be sold at a very reasonable price and on easy terms of payment. If not sold it will be for rent April 1. Inquire of Anthony Howells, Massillon.

### For Sale, Rent or Exchange

FOUR ACRES of land with good buildings, fruit, etc.; one mile from Wilmot. Will sell, rent or exchange same for property in or near Massillon. Inquire of R. W. McCaughy.

# New Spring Wall Papers,

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Room Moulding,

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